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Summary Statistics of Comments Received in Docket: EPA-HQ-OW-2020-0008

Entitled: Request for Comment on Whether EPA's Approval of a Clean Water Act Section 404 Program Is Non-Discretionary for Purposes of Endangered Species Act Section 7 Consultation

Status: The comments are not yet available as they are still being prepped for posting by the Docket.

Commenters Categories	Total Letters
States/ Local Government	5
Tribes	5
NGOs	5
Industry Groups	7
Other	1
<b>Total</b>	<b>23</b>

## States

- **Michigan** - Jerrod Sanders, Assistant Division Director Water Resources Division, **Michigan Department of Environment, Great Lakes, and Energy (EGLE)**
- **Oregon** - Eric Metz, Senior Policy & Legislative analyst, **Oregon Department of State Lands**
- **Nebraska** - Comment submitted by Jim Macy, Director, **Nebraska Department of Environment and Energy (NDEE)**
- **Florida Department of Environmental Protection**, Noah Valenstein, Secretary

## Local Governments

- County - C. H. Huckelberry, County Administrator, **County Administrator's Office, Pima County**

## Tribes

- Comment submitted by Eric Quaempts, Director, **Confederated Tribes of the Umatilla Indian Reservation**
- Comment submitted by Brenda Meade, Chairperson, **Coquille Indian Tribe**
- Comment submitted by Benjamin Benoit, Environmental Director, **Leech Lake Band of Ojibwe (LLBO)**
- Comment submitted by Nancy Schuldt, Water Projects Coordinator Fond du Lac Environmental Program Resource Management Division, **Fond du Lac Band of Lake Superior Chippewa (Band)**
- Comment submitted by Raymond Paddock, Co-Chair, **Tribal Caucus of the EPA Region 10 Tribal Operation Committee ("RTOC")**

## NGOs

- Comment submitted by James Hockel and Jonathan Wood, **Pacific Legal Foundation**
- Comment submitted by James Murphy, Legal Advocacy Director, **National Wildlife Federation (the Federation or NWF)**
- Comment submitted by Kristen L. Boyles, Staff Attorney and Bonnie A. Malloy Staff Attorney, **Earthjustice on behalf of Florida Wildlife Federation, et al.**,
- Comment submitted by Lindsay Dubin, Staff Attorney, **Defenders of Wildlife**
- Comment submitted by Ramona H. McGee, Staff Attorney, **Southern Environmental Law Center et al.**

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Industry Groups

- Comment submitted by Susan Asmus, Senior Vice President, Regulatory Affairs **National Association of Home Builders (NAHB)**
- Comment submitted by John Wagner, Managing Counsel, **American Petroleum Institute (“API”)**
- Comment submitted by Mary Anne Cooper, **Oregon Farm Bureau (OFB), Oregon Property Owners Association (OPOA), and the Oregon Forest & Industries Council**
- Comment submitted by **Oregon Mining Association (OMA), Oregon Concrete and Aggregate Producers Association (OCAPA)**
- Comment submitted by Tanya Portillo, Executive Director, **Florida Electric Power Coordinating Group, Inc. (FCG)**
- Comment submitted by Frank C. Walker, III, Vice President of Government Affairs, **Florida Chamber of Commerce**
- Comment submitted by Gregory J. Walch, Chairman, **Western Urban Water Coalition (WUWC or Coalition)**

Other

- Anonymous public comment – comment was general requesting cessation of all dredging for new development.